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Public Service Announcement

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Department of Parks and Recreation

SUBJECT: OPERATION CLYDE OFFERS RECREATION ASSISTANCE

Elk Grove, CA -- Elk Grove residents facing financial hardship can find ways to play through "Operation Clyde," the Recreation Activity Assistance Fund. The fund is managed and operated by the Elk Grove Community Services District (CSD) Department of Parks and Recreation.

"Operation Clyde" provides financial assistance for families who could not otherwise afford to enroll in CSD recreation activities and programs such as youth sports leagues, camps, gymnastics, dance, Karate, and a multitude of leisure enrichment classes. These activities and classes are available at a reduced cost for Operation Clyde candidates. Financial assistance is available for all programs and activities listed in the Elk Grove CSD Parks and Recreation Winter/Spring 2003 Activity Guide with the exception of adult sports leagues.

Elk Grove residents in the 95624 or 95758 zip codes currently facing financial hardships are eligible for assistance. Candidates must fill out a short confidential application. Registration for Winter/Spring 2003 classes and activities begins January 7. For more information on "Operation Clyde," please call the CSD Department of Parks and Recreation at 685-3917 or log on to the District web site at www.egcsd.ca.gov.

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